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) AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

Applicant submits this Amendment and Response to address the final Office Action having a mailing date of November 4, 2003. Enclosed herewith is a petition for a two-month extension of time, thereby extending the time period for response from February 4, 2004 to April 4, 2004, as well as a check in the amount of \$155.00 as the fee for such extension, as a one-month extension of time was submitted and paid for at the time the RCE was filed. Please credit any overpayment or charge any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1970. Although the Applicant believes that no other fees are due for filing this Amendment and Response, please charge any fees deemed necessary to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

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